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Box Patent Application (35 U.S.C. 111)
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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of a Continuation application of a PCT application, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 111(a) in the name(s) of:

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entitled:

DATA MULTIPLEXING DEVICE, PROGRAM DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, PROGRAM TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, PAY BROADCAST SYSTEM, PROGRAM TRANSMISSION METHOD, CONDITIONAL ACCESS SYSTEM, AND DATA RECEPTION DEVICE

The following are enclosed:

☒ Specification (68 pages)
☒ 24 Sheet(s) of Drawings
☒ 122 Claim(s) (including 9 independent claim(s))
☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim
☒ Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ signed ☐ unsigned
☒ Preliminary Amendment
☒ Our check for \$ 3,104.00, calculated as follows:
Basic Fee, \$760.00 (\$380.00) \$ 760.00
Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (\$9.00) each: 1,836.00
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☒ Pursuant to MPEP § 1895, enclosed is a copy of the PCT Request which is submitted as evidence that the instant continuation is copending with the PCT application and has at least one inventor in common therewith.
☐ Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate the claim(s) for priority made in the Declaration:

Application No. Filed In

Please charge any additional fees required for the filing of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,
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